



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **ATTN: BOX AF**
Kenji KAMIMURA et al. : **Confirmation No. 6291**
Serial No. 09/787,121 : **Docket No. 2001_0076A**
Filed March 14, 2001 : **Group Art Unit 3723**
POLISHING APPARATUS : **Examiner R.A. ROSE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3723

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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of
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- (X) submitted herewith.
() to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
() Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
() is enclosed.
() has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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